IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants : Tetsushi Kokubo, et al.

Serial No. : 09/910,104

For : INFORMATION PROCESSING APPARATUS.

INFORMATION PROCESSING METHOD,

INFORMATION PROCESSING SYSTEM, AND

STORAGE MEDIUM

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed on July 7, 2009, having a three-

month statutory period of response set to expire on October 7, 2009, please amend the above-

Frommer Lawrence & Haug LLP 745 Fifth Avenue New York, NY 10151 212-588-0800 Customer Number 20999 identified application as follows. Applicants submit this response by the two-month date of September 7, 2009.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 11 of this paper.